



Work with Standards and KUD

- **Notice that from K-12, there are essentially 5 Strands of Standards: Reading Literature (Elementary also has a fundamental skills section for reading), Reading Informational Text, Writing, Language, and Speaking and Listening.**
- **Notice that KUD stands for Know, Understand, and Do. As you take a look at the standards, think about the difference between Know and Understand for students.**
- **Notice that each standard has Student Friendly Language. How do you think this language could help you?**
- **Notice how for each Standard page, there is the level previous to the Standard and the level following it to demonstrate for teachers how the standards build. How might this be helpful?**
- **Notice finally that all standards have a section that explains how the skill can be applied in real life. How might these be used to motivate students?**